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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV  
AMCONSUL JERUSALEM  
INFO AMEMBASSY AMMAN

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 094655

E.O. 11652' GDS

TAGS: IS, JO, ENRG, EQIP

SUBJECT: POWER POLITICS ON THE WEST BANK

REF: STATE 073239 (NOTAL), JERUSALEM 0830 (NOTAL),  
JERUSALEM 0912 (NOTAL)

1. DE LAVAL TURBINE TELEPHONED US TODAY TO SAY THAT THEY  
CONSIDERING DEVELOPING THEIR CONTACTS WITH NABLUS MAYOR  
SHAKA TO POINT OF REQUESTING "LICENSE" FROM MILGOV FOR  
PURCHASE, SHIPMENT AND INSTALLATION OF DE LAVAL DIESEL  
GENERATORS TO AUGMENT NABLUS ELECTRIC POWER PRODUCTION  
SYSTEM.
2. DE LAVAL AWARE THAT SHAKA'S REQUEST FOR WEST GERMAN  
GENERATORS WAS TURNED DOWN BY MILGOV. DE LAVAL NONETHELESS  
THINKS THERE MAY BE SOME VALUE IN MAKING ISRAELIS GO ON THE  
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RECORD AS REJECTING U.S. COMPANY--IN ORDER TO GIVE THEM  
BETTER LEVERAGE IN FUTURE "WHEN WEST BANK POLITICAL PICTURE  
MAY CHANGE".

3. DE LAVAL SAYS IT MAY ASK ITS REPRESENTATIVE BASED IN  
AMMAN TO CONTACT CONGEN JERUSALEM TO DISCUSS THE ISSUE  
FURTHER. WE SEE NO REASON TO DISSUADE DE LAVAL FROM PURSU-

ING THIS MATTER AS FAR AS THEY CAN TAKE IT. CHRISTOPHER

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